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Current Legislative Session Effect on SISD

What effect does the Special Session in Austin have on the Stratford Independent School System? The legislative body is currently trying to equalize state funding to satisfy the Edgewood versus Kirby suit that ruled that the current method of school funding is unconstitutional.

In reviewing the bills that have been introduced to the Legislature at this point, it seems that all of them indicate our state funding will be reduced considerably. Stratford currently receives approximately \$683,174.00 in state funds.

At the present time Stratford has one of the

lower tax rates in the Panhandle. The State Legislature is currently looking at a state tax rate average between .85 and .95 cents per \$100 value. Stratford has a tax rate of .73 cents which is well below the state average. In many of the bills introduced the local school districts tax rate must be at or near the state average or they will lose some of the state funds allocated.

Governor Clements has stated that he is against raising any taxes at the state level. If taxes are not raised at the state level, then those school districts that are considered wealthier than others will receive less state money. This state money will be allocated to poorer school districts. In other words, if taxes are not increased at the state level, they will be increased on the local level. This is what happened in the last Legislative Session last year. Stratford I.S.D. received less money from the state and had to raise local taxes.

It looks like any bill that may be passed in the Special Legislative Session on education will cost the taxpayers in Stratford I.S.D. several cents in our local tax rate. For instance if the state money is reduced to Stratford I.S.D. by

\$200,000.00 it would cost the taxpayers a .10 cents increase in taxes from .73 cents to 83 cents.

What can you do as a taxpayer in Stratford I.S.D.? You may write a letter to both your Senator or State Representative letting them know you favor a tax increase from the state level instead of a shift to taxpayers on the local level.

Democratic Primary Voting & Precinct Caucus

The Sherman County Democratic Chairman is encouraging all eligible voters to vote on March 13, 1990 for the candidate of their choice.

All voters wishing to vote in the Democratic Primary may vote in the following places through out the County, according to their residential location:

Precinct 1
Box 1- Lautz Elevator
Box 5-Sherman Court Library

Precinct 11
Box 2- Precinct 2 County barn
Box 6-Sherman County Barn

Precinct III
Box 3-Texhoma school
Box 7-Extension Office in Stratford.

Secretary Of State Appoints Dr. Harlow

Following the resignation of Frances Watson as Chairperson of the Republican Party of Sherman County; Dr. Harlow was appointed by the Secretary Of State, State of Texas, to assume the responsibilities of Republican Party Chairman, Sherman County through the Republican Primary Election on March 13, 1990. Dr. Harlow has accepted this challenge - "and it is a challenge" he states.

Dr. Harlow is consulting with Frances Watson; learning and gleaning from her wealth of experience of over

30 years as the Republican Party County Chairperson.

Due to circumstances that occurred, it was impossible to sign up for the position on January 2, 1990; therefore Dr. Harlow's name will not appear on the ballot.

He asks, if you wish to have him continue, as Chairman of the Republican Party of Sherman County, please WRITE IN CLAUDE HARLOW in the appropriate place on the ballot.

Paid Pol. Adv. Pd. for by the Republican Party, County Chairman Claude A. Harlow, Box 1103, Stratford, Texas 79084.

All District Players



Congratulations to Jolina Garoutte, freshman, All District, Tim Hudson, senior, All District, Brad McBryde, senior, All District, Loyd Willard, senior, Honorable Mention, All District and Robert Williams, junior, All District.

NOTICE

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The Stratford Hospital District election is scheduled for May 5th. If you are interested in running for Hospital Board, the filing dates are March 6th through April 5th.

NOTICE

The deadline for filing for a place on the Stratford Independent Schoolboard is March 21, 1990 with filing beginning on Feb. 19, 1990. Forms to file for a position on the Schoolboard may be obtained at the Superintendent's office at the school. Doug McBryde and Steve Dettle's terms expire this year. Holdover members will be Jerry Dyess, Jack Rhoades, Margaret Reed, Linda Spurlock and Rick Reinart.

NOTICE

Monday, Feb. 19 is the First day you may sign up to run for City Councilmen. Last day is March 21st.

NOTICE

Community Development Committee Meeting Thursday March 8th and Friday March 9th. 7 p.m. Sherman County Barn. The Public is invited.

NOTICE

Order your Stratford School year books. Feb. 12, thru March 23, 1990. Price \$22.00.

NOTICE

The Sherman County Library will be closed March 13th for the election.

NOTICE

OLDER WORKER WEEK
March 11-17, 1990

The Texas Department on Aging has issued an official memorandum establishing March 11-17, 1990 as OLDER worker WEEK to highlight the accomplishments of older worker programs like the Senior Texans Employment Program.

Chatter

By J.A. Lasley

Thursday, March 8

9:30 a.m. Fit For Life
1:30 p.m. Fit For Life
5:00 p.m. Fit For Life
7 p.m. CDC County Meeting.

Friday, March 9

Scot Ceramics
Scot Quilting
Birthday Party For Scotters
7:00 p.m. CDC Town Mtg.
County Barn
7:30 p.m. Retirement Dinner
Honoring Honorable Judge Bill Sheehan
Moore County
Community Building
\$12.50/All proceeds
go to CASA a non-profit
organization

Saturday, March 10

Track Meets: Jr. High
River Road
J.V. & Varsity
At Panhandle

Monday, March 12

SPRING BREAK
Scot Ceramics
Scot Quilting &
Dance Practice

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Freeze-Damaged US 287 To Be Reconstructed

December's record cold snap took its toll on South Texas fruit and Panhandle highways. The highway commission can't restore the fruit, but they have approved rehabilitation of a 19.6 mile stretch of US 287 between Etter and Stratford.

Deadline For Sign Up Nears

The Stratford School Trustee Election will be held on May 5, 1990, the first Saturday in May. At the present time one candidate, Vickie Gore, has signed up for one of the two open positions. The two positions being filled are those of Doug McBryde and Steve Dettle. Holdover members are Linda Spurlock, Margaret Reed, Rick Reinart, Jack Rhoades and Jerry Dyess. The final date for filing as a candidate for this election is 5:00 p.m. March 21, 1990. Applications may be filled out in the Superintendent's office.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will begin April 16, 1990 and last through May 1, 1990. Absentee voting will be held in the Superintendent's office. Applications for voting by mail may also be obtained in the Superintendent's office.

"The highway surface and base are just disintegrating because of freeze damage, and this is a primary route for traffic between Texas and Denver, Colo.," said highway department Engineer-Director Arnold Oliver. Traffic counts show that trucks make up more than 36 percent of the traffic.

Oliver pointed out that the highway also serves as a school-bus route. "While it is important to provide for through traffic, maintaining a safe route for the kids going to and from school is imperative," he said.

The highway department hopes to have the highway repaired before next winter. The contract for the \$7.4 million project is scheduled to be awarded in May or June.

Retirement Dinner



District Judge Bill Sheehan is retiring after 12 years of service to the 69th Judicial District. A retirement dinner in his honor is planned for this Friday, March 9, 1990 at 7:30 p.m. in the Moore County Community Building.

CHAMBER BANQUET: The annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet will be held Tuesday, March 27 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sherman County Barn. Banquet tickets are now on sale. Advance tickets are \$10.00 \$8.00 for those over 60 and students & will be \$12.00 at the door.

SPECIAL AWARDS: You recognize them by their Concern, Attitude, Responsibility and Enthusiasm. These individuals should be nominated in their respective areas of endeavor for Citizen, Farmer or Businessperson of the Year. Please take a few minutes and make your nomination for the 1989 awards. Circle one of the following:

CITIZEN BUSINESSPERSON FARMER

Name of Nominee _____

Reasons I feel this individual should receive the award: _____

Nomination submitted by _____

Deadline: Please return nomination to the Chamber office by March 20, 1990.

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for construction of 65,000 S.Y. of sealcoating for the City of Stratford will be received at the office of City Secretary until March 15, 1990 at 7:30 P.M. and then publicly opened and read.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check written upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) per cent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City of Stratford or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract and execute a performance bond within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without check or bond will not be considered. Bids not exceeding \$25,000 will not require a performance bond.

The attention of bidder is called to the special provisions concerning minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in House Bill No. 115 of the Forty fourth Legislature to the State of Texas. Compliance with the above wage and hour bill is required. Further, the bidder agrees to abide by the requirements under Executive Order No. 11246, as amended, including specifically the provisions of the equal opportunity clause.

The low bidder shall supply the names and addresses of major material suppliers and subcontractors when requested to do so by the Owner.

Inspection trips for the prospective bidders will be as requested.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and to accept the bid deemed to be

the most advantageous to the City. All bids received after the above closing hour will be returned unopened. Plans, specifications and

bidding documents may be secured from the office of Glover & Associates, Inc., P.O. Box 977, Dumas, Texas 79029, on deposit of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per set, which sum so deposited a total of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars will be refunded, provided: (1) All documents are returned in good condition to Glover & Associates, Inc., not later than 48 hours prior to the time for receiving bids; or (2) The Contractor submits a bid and all documents are returned in good condition to Glover & Associates, Inc., not later than five days after the time that bids are received.

CITY OF STRATFORD
BY Doug Reese
Mayor

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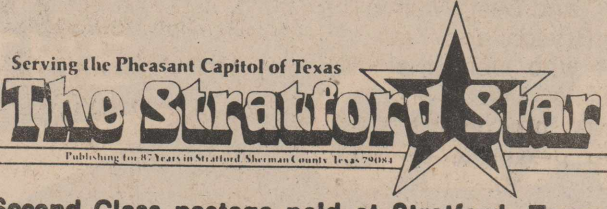
LEGAL NOTICE

The City of Stratford requests bids from interested parties on the following equipment: 1 each - 1990 4 door sedan with split bench seat, 3.1 liter MFIV6 engine, 4 speed auto. trans. W/overdrive, stereo radio, air conditioning, Comfort tilt steering wheel, P195/75R14 Radial tires, Tinted windshield. 1 each - mower. The specifications for this mower will be equivalent to the 72" Toro Groundmaster. Mower must have the capability to maneuver equivalent to the 72" Groundmaster. Must be water cooled engine.

Bidders shall list on separate sheet of paper any variations from, or exceptions to, the conditions and specifications of this bid. Please mark on the outside of the envelope "Sealed bid to be opened March 15, 1990".

The City of Stratford, Texas, will pay for such equipment with certificates of obligation. The City has made provisions for the seller to sell and assign such certificates to the First State Bank of Stratford, Texas. Each bidder is required to

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elect whether he will accept such certificates in payment of all or a part of the contract price or assign such certificates in accordance with such arrangements.

Any and all bids must be in the offices of the City of Stratford located at 520 N. Third, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, TX. 79084. by 5:00 p.m. March 15, 1990. Bids will be opened at 7:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers of Stratford City Hall. The City of Stratford reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

If any additional information is needed, please contact Wayland Brown, City Manager, City of Stratford (806)396-5581.

Wayland Brown
City Manager

Dwight D. Reese
Mayor

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NOTICE OF DIRECTORS ELECTION

To the Registered Voters of Stratford Hospital District. Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 5, 1990, for voting in a directors' election, to elect three directors. Location of polling places-

Stratford High School.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Stratford High School Administration Office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. beginning on April 16, 1990 and ending on May 1, 1990.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Darla Cummings, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084. Issued this the 8th day of February 1990.

Scott Buckles, Pres.
Signature of Presiding Officer

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AVISO DE ELECCION DIRECTORS

A los votantes registrados del Stratford Distrito De Hospital

Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 5th de Mayo de 1990 para votar en

la Eleccion para tres directores.

Direccion de las casillas electorales-Stratford High School.

La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en Stratford High School Administration Office entre las 8 de la manana y las 4 de la tarde empezando el dia 16 de Abril, 1990 y terminando el dia 1 de Mayo, 1990.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion En Applications for ballot by Darla Cummings, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084.

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Obituaries

Paul O. Dixon

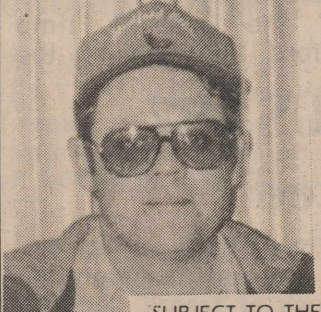
Bovina-Paul O. Dixon, 95 died Friday, Feb. 23, 1990 in Friona.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 26, 1990 in Bovina First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jeff Taylor, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery by Ellis-B. Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.

Mr. Dixon was born in Garden Valley community in Childress County. He lived in Amarillo from 1924 until 1940 and he owned and operated the Dixon Truck Line. He served in the U.S. Army during World War I. He moved to the Bovina area in 1961 from Kress. He was a retired farmer. He married Ella Belle Smith in 1921 at Stratford. She died in 1981. He graduated from Stratford

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Vote For
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1990 Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Tommy Asher, Stratford, TX 79084

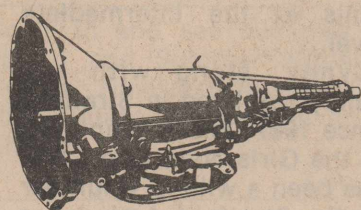
SUBJECT TO THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY MARCH 13

We have excellent candidates in the primary election. No matter your political affiliation - GET OUT AND VOTE- THESE CANDIDATES DESERVE YOUR VOTE. YOU CANNOT COMPLAIN IF YOU DID NOT VOTE

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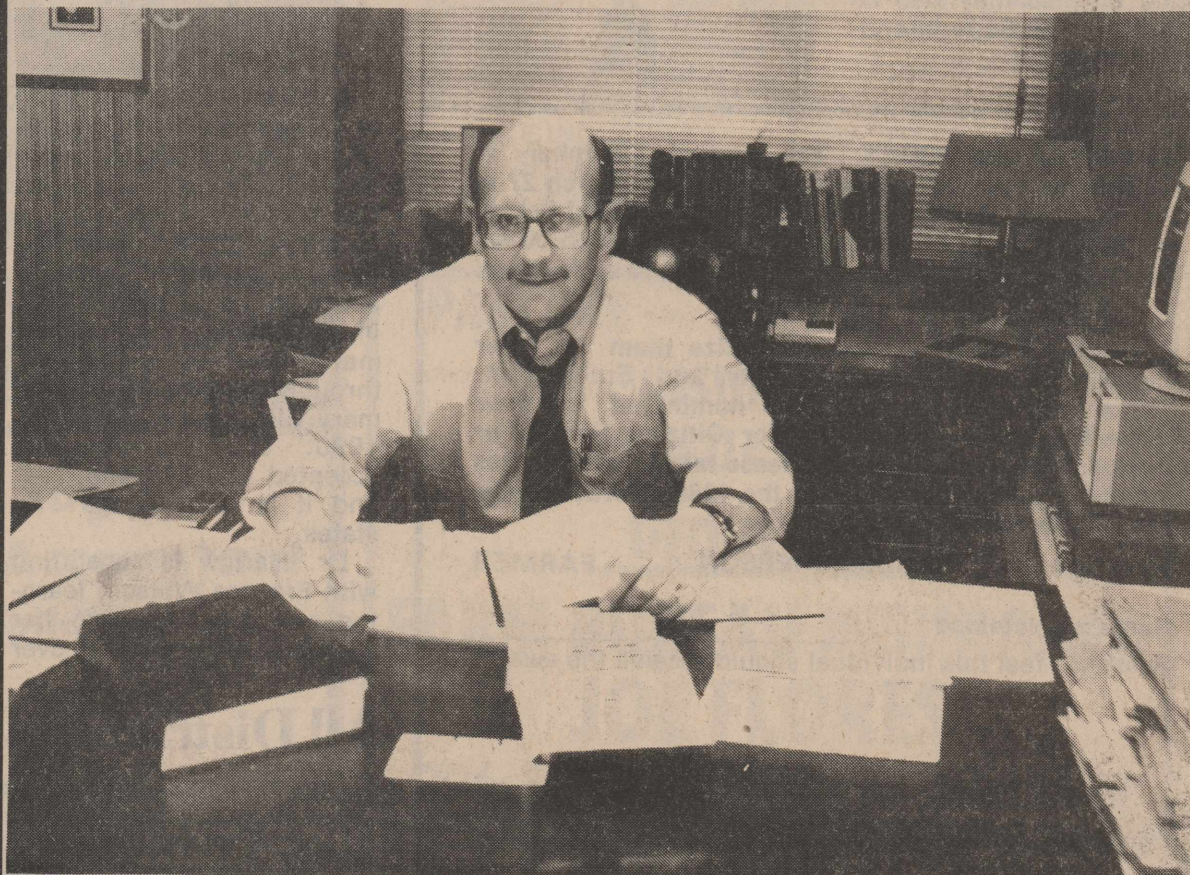
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23+ Years at Same Office
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March 13th Primary Election

Pd. Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Louis T. Dubuque, Box 1085, Dumas, Texas 79029

SCOT Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happiest day of your life to you, Sherman County Older Texans, Friends, Neighbors and Scotters is our wish for you on this Monday morning, March 5, 1990. T.V. weather report is temperature 47 degrees F and 74% humidity, numbers are reversed. Never noticed such before. Personally, we are at peace with circumstances at this writing. In your imagination draw a triangle beginning at Stratford to El Paso to Dallas, back to Stratford. Within that triangle, "ALL my Children" are located with one exception. In Stratford are Baskin, Betty, Jim Bob et al; Lorelyn H. Powers et al, Joe Ray and Rose Brown, El Paso; Marian H. Williams et al and Carrie Brown, Dallas area; Alan Haile et al, Friona; Blair Brown, Amarillo. The exception? Michael Powers, Germany who will soon be back in U.S.A. All home in Texas! See our point of view? To add a little spice to our satisfaction is the fact the family members Hilma B. Cleveland Helen B. Mason are now located at Longview, Texas where Hazel B. Martin lives. Ain't God good?

Scot birthday party is Friday, March 9th at 7 p.m. Hope somebody has sent a birthday card to a scot

birthday person! B.D. peoples names are in last weeks notes.

Regular activities will take place at Scot Hall this week. Interested Senior Citizen dancers will be in Guymon Sat. March 10th for Guymon S.C. dance. Scoters attending the Boise City Charity Dance Friday Mar. 2 were Joyce Brooks, Norman Malcomb, Dorothy Robbins, The Jack Gores, the Baskin Browns, the Homer Hailes, the Lew Brunis, the Kenneth Pembertons. Get well wishes to R.J. Hill who is under the weather with the flu.

A letter from Golden Corley told of a visit from Christine Upchurch and gave the Upchurch's address as follows. Rt. 3 Box 432, Hillsboro, Tex. T664 phone 817-583-2906. Also that Susan and Husband Ron, are pastoring First Christian Church, Wabask, Ind. since Dec. Golden closed her letter by referring to Proverbs 3:6 Thank you Golden.

Selma and Bill Pendleton visited SCOT J.R. (Bob) Pendleton, Troy, Tex. on Bob's 98th birthday, March 1st Stratford Old Timers thank the Lord for Bob Pendleton and wish him continued good health and happiness.

Weekend guest of Corda Pleyer were Ethel Alley and Edith Stanfors, Niles, Ks. as

they return home from a visit with relatives in Arizona.

"Luv" and Best Wishes to Margie Bryson and Ivan L. Bookout who were married in Amarillo, March 3rd.

All Stratford people send love and prayer support to Alice and George Jeffcoat as Alice prepares for eye surgery in St. Anthony Hospital, Amarillo.

Scotters and personal "luv" and prayer support to Clea Garrison and Trophina Phelps in the loss by death of their brother Rex French, Colo. We don't always understand the "Why" of the death of a loved one but our faith sustains us knowing that God never errs. Amen.

Apologies to candidate Louis Dubuque for not checking on the spelling of his name. We meant to do a neighborly act!

The article on census taking written in Sunday's Amarillo paper is eye opening and mind challenging. We were not informed of the millions of citizens in the U.S.A. with no address of any kind. living day after day without food supply and no place to rest at night MILLIONS!

Nature surely showed us something when she rolled up those snowballs, Feb. 28, 1990, didn't she. Any reader who has experienced such a phenomenon, please let us know. Corda Pleyer has a picture of her yard showing

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Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Jo June McDaniel hosted a Home Interiors party March 1. Shirlee Buysman, Dalhart, was the exhibitor. Attending were Katharine Schriber of Stratford and Lynn Wells, Franny Taylor, Pat Boren, Joyce Irlbeck, Dayle Harris, Barbara Schoonover, Marylou McDaniel.

For some reason or other, everyone smiles when I say that I "have to keep Merilee". That we did Saturday as Kathy was in Amarillo for a track meet. She's six months old now and Grandpa and Mamma's little doll! (Don't all grandparents think their grandchild is the cutest, etc.?)

Joyce Irlbeck, Franny Taylor and Marylou McDaniel attended the World Day of Prayer held Friday at First United Methodist Church. There was a nice crowd. The Assembly of God hosts next year's event.

Celebrating Terry's birth-

day Sunday in Liberal, Ks., with his grandparents, Mike & Lucille Schoonover, were Terry & Barbara Schoonover

Ben Tom, Gayla, Trew and Levi James were in Houston all last week for Houston Livestock Show. Thea stayed with her grandparents, Frank & Blanche James.

Roger and Carrie Crabtree hosted a 90th birthday party for his sister, Ida Lee Leonard, Sunday.

Barbara Avent, Pat Boren & Marylou McDaniel participated in Dalhart Women's Bowling Tourney. Marylou was second in singles.

Stratford Grain team members Ann Woolley & Roberta Gregory won doubles.

Brothers & sisters of Ted Irlbeck and their spouses recently enjoyed a gathering at the home of Ray & Teresa Tomsu in Kress.

Former resident Leon Eden stopped by for a brief visit one day last week with Franny Taylor. Understand they also saw others in Stratford. He lives in Palm Desert, Ca., and was on his way to see his mother, Beulah Eden at Lufkin.

Bill Boren attended the Rush Limbaugh show in Amarillo Saturday.

Sunday Bill & Pat Boren were in Goodwell for a day of golf, supper, then church with Kerry & Kelly Carlisle.

Minnie Butler had a good report on her eyes Friday. Nita Taylor took her mother to Amarillo.

Sunray Locker

Pork Ribs - \$1.29 Lb. Pork Loins - \$1.29 Lb.

Pork Sausage - 99¢ Lb.

Pork Shoulder - 99¢ Lb.

Fresh Ham - 99¢ Lb. Slab Bacon - 99¢ Lb.

948-4403

After 5:00 PM 396-2378

First Christian Church

Scripture Matthew 8:23-27
Sermon "What Kind Of Man Is This?"
Anthem "Lord, I Want To Be A Christian" Adult Choir

Attend Services

The Churches of Stratford Welcome Your Family



FIRST BAPTIST

Dr. Derrel Lewis
702 North 3rd
Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:50 am
Church Training 6:00 pm
Evening Worship 7:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Minister John Wearden
N. 3rd & Chestnut St.
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

FIRST CHRISTIAN

Rev. David Harker
5th & N. Main St.
Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 am
Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday, Adult Choir 8:00 pm

FIRST UNITED METHODIST

Rev. John Wagoner
520 N. Main
Sunday School 9:40 am
Morning Worship 10:50 am
Junior High UMY 5:30 pm
Senior High UMY 6:00 pm
Evening Worship 6:00 pm

CALVARY BAPTIST

David Jones
302 S. Main St.
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Service & Bible Study 7:00 pm

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Terrance Fred
Corner of Purnell & Fulton
Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC

Willie Artho
515 S. Pearl Street
Sunday Mass 9:00 a.m.
Sunday Spanish Mass 11:00 a.m.
Saturday Evening Mass 7:30 p.m.

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Vote

Wayland Brown

FOR
County Commissioner
Precinct 2

Pd. Pol. Ad., Pd for by Wayland Brown,
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†Pre-cooked weight Good only at participating Dairy Queen restaurants.

Thank You, Lord

Thank You, Lord, for knowing me
As no one has before,
For all Your gifts, and even when
I sometimes ask for more.
Thank You, Lord, for standing by
Though times be good or bad,
For never throwing up to me,
The chances I have had.
Thank You, Lord, for picking up
The pieces when they fall,
For always being near enough
To hear me when I call.
Thank You, Lord, for holding on
To me when I would go,
For finding deep within my soul,
The things that never show.

Thank You, Lord, for promises
You never fail to keep,
For counting every heartbeat
When I lay me down to sleep.
Thank You, Lord, for mercy
And for wisdom that You show,
For sometimes saying "Yes" to me,
... And sometimes saying "No".

Thank You, Lord, for patience
When I feel like giving up,
For adding honey to the dregs
I taste within my cup.
Thank You, Lord, for loving me
As no one ever can,
For wishing me an Angel,
But for seeing me ... a man.

Grace E. Easley

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396-5586

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396-2261

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396-5330 396-2547

North Plains Savings & Loan
396-5534

Stratford Grain Co.
396-5541 Lutz 769-4485

Smith & Smith Well Co. Inc.
396-2111

Ellie M'S
396-2092

Stratford Star
396-5885

Walter Lasley & Sons, Inc.
753-4411

Society



A baby shower was given for Angelica Montes in the home of Mrs. Lazaro Montes, Feb. 11. Shower was given by Mrs. Lazaro Montes, Mrs. Martin Beltran and Mrs. Carlos Montoya. Pictured are Angelica Montes and mother in law Cruzita Montes.

Tri Corner Art Association

Tri-Corner Art Association will have an arts and crafts show and sale on Sunday, May 6 from 2-5 p.m. at the County Barn. The public is invited to attend. Refreshments will be served and door prizes given. The Association will also offer a scholarship to a graduating senior art student. Interested students are encouraged to apply for this scholarship.



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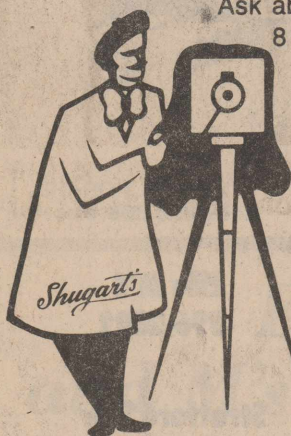
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Walk Historic Amarillo for fun and to support the Multiple Sclerosis Society on Saturday, March 31. The walk is for you whatever your pace. The first step is registration. Forms are available at the Appraisal District or at Southwest Public Service. The total walk is 15 K, or 9.3 miles, and will take the walkers along the historic part of Amarillo, starting at the Lee Vivins home and ending at Sanborn Park where The Olive Garden will serve complementary lunch. Each walker will receive a brochure about the locations on the route. Walkers from Stratford are urgently needed to support the MS Society as well as to have an enjoyable time. Currently the following have signed up to walk: Bonnie Hamilton, Marilyn Albert, Elizabeth Sanders, Terry Kennedy and Leonda Fedric.

For more information contact Marilyn Albert or Bonnie Hamilton. If you do not care to walk, please offer a pledge to one of these walkers to support MS.

Scot News
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the showballs.

To fill your spare time Senior Citizens or just for fun Do 1. visit the museum and see the plate and Madonna collections; 2. enjoy the stamp collection and books on Texas in the Library; 3 read the article in last weeks Star on Family communications.

On T.V. Channel 3 the local Baptist Church services can be seen. We hope the Scot quilters who weren't in their own churches Sunday evening Mar. 4 enjoyed the program presented by missionaries Bill and Betty Sheflet, Pampa. The Sheflets are retired lay-workers. Their work shown on film was among the coal miners of West Virginia and Betty's medium in teaching the women who were quilting. There is surely a fascination in quilting. Quilters, be sure to ask Lillie Galloway about this program.

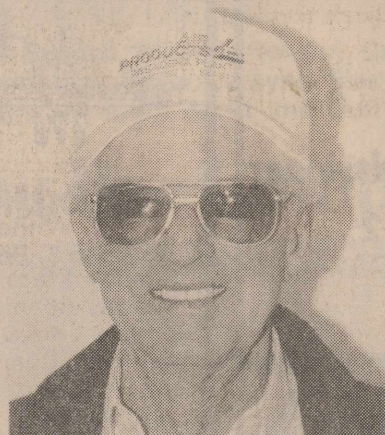
Are we "meddling"? Oh, well, we didn't gather much news last week.

We politely suggest that we all spread "luv" and "pats" Monday - Saturday.

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69th
DISTRICT JUDGE

Obit

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High School and coached the first girl's basketball team. He was a member of First United Methodist Church. Six sisters and two brothers preceded him in death.

Survivors include two sons, Robert R. Dixon of Houston and John F. Dixon of Bovina; two daughters, Mary Hazel Hill of Amarillo and Dixie Lee Baker of Longmont, Colo.; 11 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

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- Captain, U.S. Infantry, Silver Star, two Bronze Stars, Purple Heart.
- The Dallas Morning News endorsed him as a "top lawyer...highly qualified to serve on this court" who "may have trained more current judges in the state judicial system than any other law school instructor."
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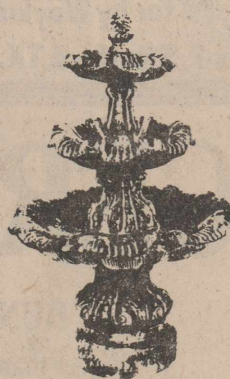
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There will be Democrat precinct caucuses at 7:15 p.m. at the voting location where you voted earlier in the day.

The polling area will be opened at 7:15 p.m. for those people wishing to caucus, at the designated places, for the purpose of offering resolutions for the county convention. Also for the nomination of persons wishing to attend the State Democratic convention in June.

The Democrat County Convention will be held on March 31, 1990 at the County Courthouse in the Courtroom starting at 2:00 p.m.

Anyone having questions may call V.B. Morris, Sherman County Democrat Chairman at 806-733-2203.

Out The Library

By Dorothy Haile

Income tax time is here. A cassette from the Internal Revenue Service has been received at the library that covers the introduction to Form 1040 EZ, Form 1040A, and Form 1040 and schedules A & B, also a 90 minute video on preparing your 1989 tax return. Instructions are provided to help one do his tax returns.

This item is available by request. You will need a cassette player to use these instructions.

All patrons of the Sherman County Public Library are urged to check your homes, offices and vehicles for over due books and other items that one might have from the Library. Fines for hard back books are 10 cents per day. Paperback books are assessed at the rate of 2 cents per day. Patrons may use the library free of charge, but are obligated to return materials on time to avoid a fine assessment. Thank you for cooperating and getting material back to the library.



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- STOP WASTING OUR TAX MONEY ON SALARY INCREASES FOR LEGISLATORS

Dick Waterfield voted to give himself a 300% increase in his salary. Congress voted to give themselves a \$30,000 increase in pay. These actions do not reflect the wishes of this district and must be stopped. Representatives should not be obligated to anyone but the people of this district.

**WE DID IT BEFORE,
AND WE CAN
DO IT AGAIN**

POSITIONS ON ISSUES:

- Reduce Deficit by Reducing Foreign Aid
- Stop Trading with Terrorist Nations
- Reinstate 27% Depletion Allowance
- Eliminate Alternative Minimum Tax
- Keep Control of Panama Canal
- Support Strong Defense Program & S.D.I.
- Reduce Dependence on Foreign Oil
- Improve U.S. Agriculture Farm Programs
- Support Rural Hospital/Physician Program
- Implement Grace Comm. Recommendations
- Support Social Security Improvement Plan
- Eliminate Federal Funded Abortions
- Cut Government Regulations and Red Tape
- Stop Communism in Central America
- Reduce Government Waste and Reduce Taxes

PAST & PRESENT AFFILIATIONS:

- First Baptist Church - Pampa
- Boy Scouts of America - Silver Beaver
- Oklahoma State B.S. Degree
- Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity
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- V.F.W. American Legion - Veteran
- National Cattlemans Association
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- Texas Farm Bureau
- U.S. Air Force Association
- Former Members of Congress Association
- Vice President Reading State Bank
- Director Pampa Chamber of Commerce



Former Colleague George Bush and Bob Price were elected to Congress the same year and worked together on conservative legislation. Eight years of seniority will allow Price to immediately start working for this district.

**SEND BOB PRICE TO CONGRESS
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Amarillo Campaign Headquarters; Bob Price for Congress, 2400 Lakeview, Suite 103, 806-353-7298
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**NOTICE OF TARIFF
CHANGE TO
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GTE Southwest Incorporated gives notice of its proposed tariff changes to CentraNet® service, which is a Central Office-based service that provides PBX-type features to multi-line business customers and is currently being offered in all company wire centers where such facilities exist to provide the service.

The Public Utility Commission of Texas approved a generic tariff for CentraNet® service up to 100 lines in Docket No. 7652. The proposed tariff revision would establish specific rates for CentraNet® service involving 101 to 400 lines. Other proposed revisions involve the rate applicable to changes, additions, or deletions to the data bases and a new rate is proposed for additional trunks.

The names of the three CentraNet® packages have changed from Standard, Premium, and Deluxe to CentraNet® 1000, CentraNet® 2000, and CentraNet® 3000, respectively. Direct Call Pickup has been added to the three CentraNet® packages while Multiple Call Park and Shared Speed Call 30 have been added to CentraNet® 2000, and Speed Call 30 and Call Forward Busy/No Answer Split have been added to CentraNet® 3000. Flexible Night Answer and Automatic Route Selection also have been added as new optional features.

The proposed changes and new service offerings have been assigned Docket No. 9251, and pursuant to Section 43(d) of the Public Utility Regulatory Act will become effective June 23, 1990. Rates for service will be applicable to customers who subscribe to the service as well as existing customers. Therefore, there will be no effect on any other rates of the company. The company's gross annual revenues will increase by approximately \$399,600, or less than one percent annually.

The proposed rates are on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and are available for public inspection at the offices of GTE Southwest Incorporated. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission. The deadline to intervene in this docket is 3:00 p.m., March 19, 1990.

A request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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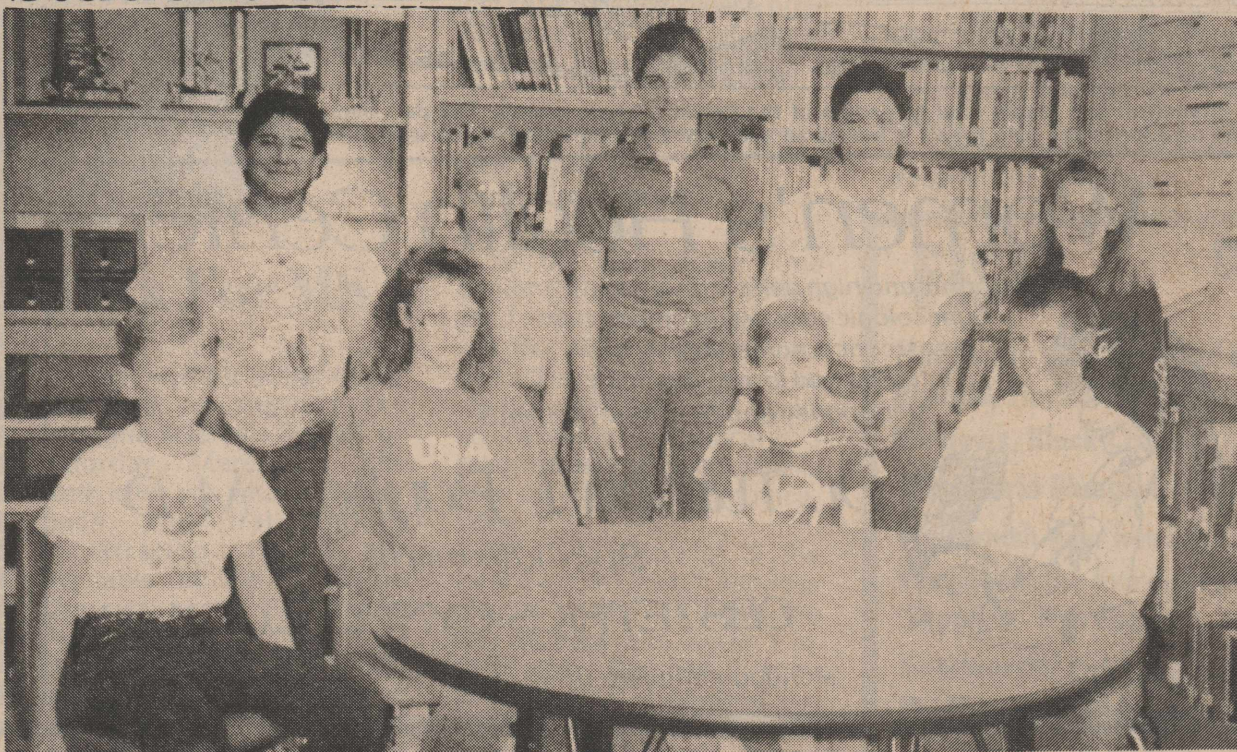
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Student Of The Week



FOR WEEK OF Feb. 26, 1990

TEACHER	STUDENT	COMMENTS
RINDA ALLISON	Chris Haynes	Excellent student, good personality
LYNDA HAUSER	Lynn Horton	Very cooperative in class, always pleasant
LINDA SWAIN	Justin Sims	Doing great in Ready Writing
TERRI TEIG	Shane Watson	For trying to learn new math skills
BARBARA HAILE	Rav Martinez	Turned in a wonderful book report
MIKE BROWNLEE	Brian Husmann	Showing great improvement in his work
DWAYNE PLUNK	Dean Hauser	Courteous, attentive, and good student
SONJA KENDRICK	Bobby Barraza	He made 100 on pop quiz in Computer Literacy
LARRY NORRIS	Carissa Reinart	Quiet, hard-working, all-around neat kid
BETTY INGHAM	Rav Martinez	An excellent band student

JETS Test



Front Row: Jamie Randall, Melinda Rendon, Carie Switzer, LaQuita Vaughn, Heather Husmann. Back Row: Wayne Stacy, Heather Carter, Shannon Norris, Phillip Zink, Trenton Borth and Buffy Ellison.

Spelling Bee Competitors



These students participated in the Globe News Spelling Bee in Texhoma, Thursday, March 1. Olga Torres, T.D. Baskin, Cheryl Beattie, Ricky Garza, Tracy Roberts, Amy Tillery, Jared Sims, Quintana Dearing, Misty Bruns and Lisa Ramos not pictured, Taryn Silva and Susan Dewees.

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Tuesday, March 13
SPRING BREAK
 Southside Demonstration
 Kerrick Demonstration
 Scot Quilting & Game Night
 7 a.m. Chamber General Board Mtg.
 Headquarter Restaurant

Wednesday, March 14

SPRING BREAK
 Scot Ceramics
 Scot Quilting

Thursday, March 15

9:30 a.m. Fit For Life
 1:30 p.m. Fit For Life
 5 p.m. Fit For Life
 Noon Chamber Retail Mtg.
 M's Meet & Eat

Friday, March 16

SPRING BREAK
 Scot Ceramics
 Scot Quilting & Game Night
 Varsity & J.V.
 Track Meet Sunray

Saturday, March 17

St. Paticks Day
 Varsity & J.V.
 Boys Track Sunray

Am I leaving out any activity? If so, please contact the Chamber. Folks! time is fleeting by. Have you gotten your nomination in for; Citizen of the Year, Business person of the Year, and Farmer of the Year? It's time. Mail or bring your nominations to the Chamber

deadline, March 18th.

The Quarterly Breakfast held, Tuesday, 27th, was indeed, an enlightning and well attended event. It strikes me, however, that when something as important as EPA-"Solid Waste" is openly discussed, and we are talking about yours and my money on down the line, we had ought to be interested enough to be present and accounted for. Judge David Field and Mr. David Moore from Dallam County gave an excellent presentation. Feelings, interest, whatever needs to be voiced. Do we want to pay "big bucks" and have our trash hauled elsewhere or do we want to tackle the job of a Waste Plant in our community. We

Cards of Thanks

Thanks for the prayers, cards, and visits during my stay in the hospital. We appreciate you people very much.

Chuck & Terri Kelling

There are many stars in the crowns of the residents from the communities of Stratford, Conlen and Kerrick! Two little words, "thank you" does not seem to be enough to express our feelings of appreciation for all of the prayers, cards, visits, flowers and food sent or brought in during and after my recent hospital stay. We have truly felt love and friendship during this time. God Bless each and everyone of you.

Loretta & Ray Chamberlain

To all you "dear friends and gentle people, who live in my home town," my heartfelt thanks to all who sent cards, flowers, calls, and loving caring for my brother Harry. To Brother and The Rev. John Wagoner for the service. To Marli-howard and Lorraine for their music and to Nell Ingham for her beautiful songs. God bless each and every one of you.

Alice Ingham Lollis

By Emily Graham

Stratford students swept nine places in the regional Junior Engineering Technological Society, or JETS test administered March 3 at W.T.S.U. The 15 students competed in science, math, and or English contests.

Senior Jamie Randall placed 3rd in Chemistry, and Junior Philip Zink placed 3rd in physics. No participants placed in biology.

In math, junior Wayne Stacy took 2nd in the junior division and 2nd in division one. Sophomore Greg Vandiver placed 2nd in the sophomore division and 3rd in division one. Another sophomore, Shannon Norris placed 3rd in sophomore division.

In computer science, Vandiver placed 1st and Norris placed 2nd. No participants placed in English.

Students competing but not placing include: Heather Carter, LaQuita Vaughn, Amber Woolsey, Brandie Lavake, Buffy Ellison, Melinda Rendon, Heather Husmann, Carie Switzer, and Trenton Borth.

Top scorers of all the regions will advance to the state level and have a chance to advance to national competition.

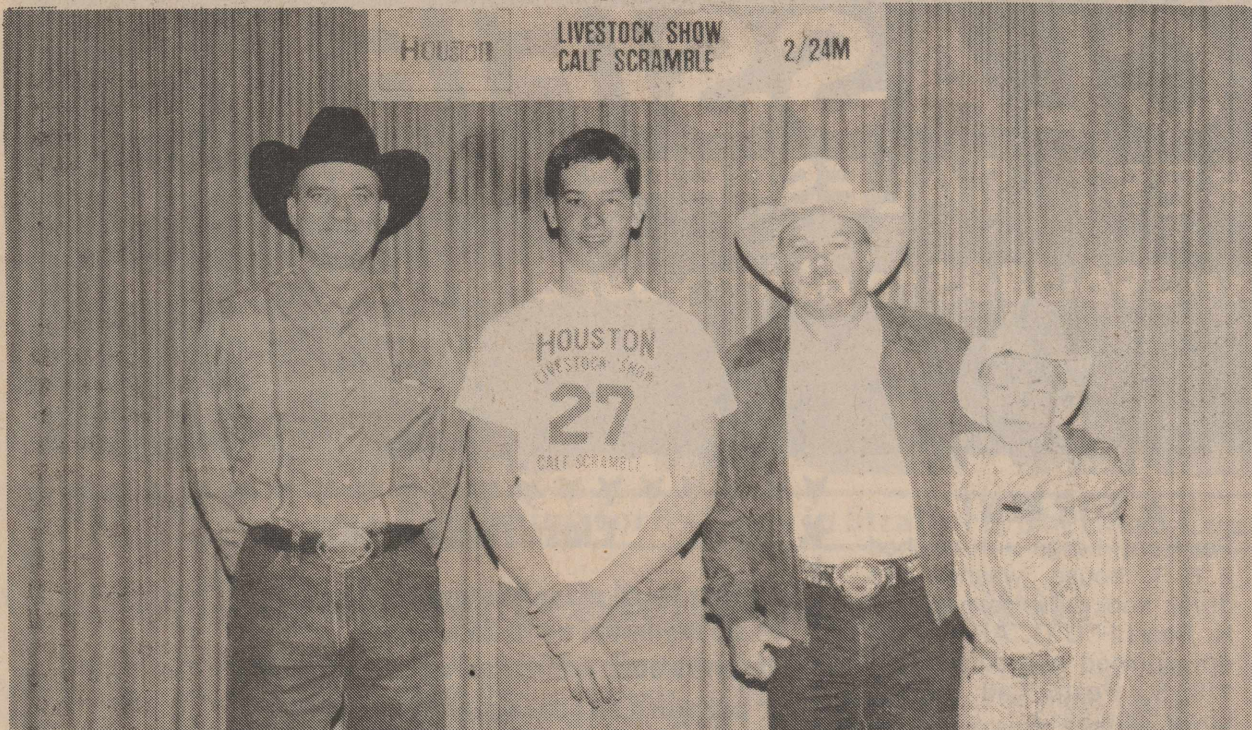


The Renaissance painter Raphael painted more than 300 pictures of the Madonna.

need interested individuals who have land they would sell to contact the Chamber, or P.J. Pronger, at 384-2361. Look folks nothing will just happen without all of us working together and a good start: the CDC Community town meeting scheduled for Thurs. 8th, Friday the 9th at the County Barn, 7 p.m. I'm going to be there, Lord willing, are you?

The trip that yours truly and P.J. made to Austin to appear before the Highway Trunk System. We feel was a success. P.J. made an excellent presentation on the 9 points of Criteria they had given. He was the only one of two, who when through were asked a question. Along down the line we are going to have to be present and accounted for in numbers with the same system-lets be ready.

Wheeler Wins Certificate



When the flag dropped at the Feb. 24, 1990 matinee performance of the 1990 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, the scramble was on, as 28 4-H students and 14 unruly calves covered the 2.75 acre Astrodome arena with excitement.

Colby Wheeler from Stratford, Texas won an \$800 calf certificate by catching, haltering and maneuvering one of the elusive calves into the winner's circle. The certificate, sponsored by Price Washer, will enable the youngster to purchase a registered beef or dairy heifer.

During the next year, Colby will raise the calf under the supervision of his county extension agent or agriculture science teacher. He will send monthly progress reports to the calf certificate sponsor and to the Show. Also required are accurate monetary records, a journal including photographs and a 500 word essay covering the year's experiences.

The culmination of the year-long project will be when Colby returns to Houston to show the heifer at a special competition during the 1991 Houston

Livestock Show and Rodeo.

"Those students fortunate enough to receive one of these certificates should seize the opportunity and make the most of it," said John Smallwood, chairman of the all-volunteer Calf Scramble Committee. "Maximum effort is required—effort that just starts in the Rodeo arena," he added.

The calf scramble program awards 302 calf certificates each year. Since the first scramble was held in 1942 more than 11,000 calves have been purchased at a price of more than \$2 million.

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, which runs through March 4, is the largest of its kind in the world. The Show includes a rodeo, top notch entertainment, the world's largest livestock show and a world famous horse show.

Net proceeds from the Show fund scholarships for more than 1,000 students in Texas colleges and universities. Money also is provided for agricultural research projects at the college level.

Track Results

The Girl's track team finished 3rd in the River Road Relays.

2nd place-400 m Relay-53.63 (Jolina, Sasha, Enedit, Sunny Jo)

1st place-800 m relay 1:53.95 (Jolina, Sasha, Enedit, Sunny Jo)

1st place-1600 m Relay 4:23.47 (Jolina, Sasha, Teresa, Sunny Jo)

3rd Place-long jump 14 ft. 7 inches, Sasha Browning

5th place 3200 m Run-Amber Woolsey 14:34.

4th place 400 M dash-Teresa Presley 66.45.

Members are Charissa Bryson, Jolina Garoutte, Sasha Browning, Cherise Davis, Sunny Jo Lasley, Teresa Presley, Amber Woolsey, Buffy Ellison, Enedit Baeza and Deborah Williams.

Stratford Rifle & Pistol Club

The Stratford Rifle and Pistol Club held their 19th National Conventional Pistol Sectional over the weekend of March 3&4, 1990.

Nineteen competitors from Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas competed for National honors. The competitors can fire the match on the local range and have their score turned in for National Competition.

A new competitor to Pistol competition, Jeff Kautz, from Stratford, Tx, won 1st Marksman with a score of 754-10x out of a possible 900. Terry Mannis from Dumas, Tx, won 2nd Marksman with a score of 753-9x, Roy McAllister another new competitor to Pistol Shooting won 3rd marksman with a score of 748-7x. Randy Kelly from Dalhart, Tex. won 1st Sharpshooter with a score of 815-6x, Edgar O'Hair from Lubbock, Tex. won 2nd

Sharpshooter with a score of 787-12x David Brown from Stratford Tex, won expert class with a score of 822-21x, Jess Lopez from Amarillo, Tex. won 1st master with a score of 822-14x.

In the competition for the 3 top places the competitors worked very hard to come out the way they did. Toby Kautz from Stratford won 3rd overall with a score of 835-15x, Lee Tarver from Stratford edged Toby out with a score of 837-16x, with both Toby and Lee firing such close scores it put the pressure on the 1st overall, match winner to try and stay with them, Frank Vaughn from Stratford, Tx was match winner with a score of 864-31x.

The club has started making plans for 20th National Indoor Pistol match in 1991. Special awards are being plan for that match.



Jim Tallafarro presents appreciation certificate to Sam Bass.

Mr. Bass, superintendent of Stratford Independent Schools is accepting a certificate of appreciation for Public School Awareness signed by most worshipful Grand Master of Grand Lodge of Texas, A.D. Hanna and Worthy Grand Matron Grand Chapter of Texas Order of Eastern Star Mrs. Betty Phillips.

Jim Taliferro, Middle School Principal and past master of Stratford Lodge 874 also, Worthy Patron of Stratford chapter 960 Order of Eastern Star, presenting it. His wife Shannon is Worthy matron of Stratford Chapter 960.

The curlew can fly non-stop for more than 2,000 miles. Since most of the bird's flight is over water, he doesn't have much of a chance for a breather—especially since the curlew can't swim!



The first President to be inaugurated in Washington, D.C. was Thomas Jefferson.

Eastern Star sponsors scholarships for deserving young people who wish to include religion in their field of studies.

Submitted by Mrs. J.W. (Jane) Smith "Public School Awareness Committee". Grand Chapter of Texas O.E.S. At the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, held in Waco, December 1989, the Masons of Texas resolved that the week of March 5-09, 1990 be set aside as Public School Week to honor all schools of Texas. This is done at their annual meeting each year.

Menu

Thursday, March 8-Baked turkey, dressing, gravy, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, english peas, rolls, pumpkin custard.

Friday, March 9-Hamburger cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, pickle slices, french fries, fruit cups, cinnamon rolls.

March 12 thru the 16 SPRING BREAK

Starnes Attends Training Seminar



Danny Starnes, parts manager at Oglesby International Inc. of Dumas, has completed a sales technique development course at the Fleetward Training Seminar lasting 4 days beginning Jan. 8, 1990 in Nashville, Tn. The group toured the Fleetguard lab, factory and warehouse were shown the process of development of the Fleetguard Filters. Danny has been employed by Oglesby International for 10 years and is a resident of Stratford.

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★ FOR SALE ★

For Sale: Lowery Organ-like new and antique piano good condition. Call 396-5971 day 396-2128 after 6. 3-8c

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For Sale: 1929 Model "A" Ford "Victoria" partially restored call 384-2261 day 384-2242 after 6. 3-8c

Lower prices on our winter clothing at The General Store. 3-8TFN

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For Sale: Gas stove, double oven. \$150.00 or best offer. Excellent condition. Call 753-4560. 3-15-c

Hey guys! We have a new selection of shorts and shirts just in time for Spring Break fun. C's Male Box. 3-8c

Couch, recliner, stereo and refrigerator/freezer with ice maker. 417 N. Spruce 396-2206. 3-8p

For Sale 1 King size Sealy mattress and springs. Call 396-2238. 3-15c

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For Termite Control Call Leo Russell at 1-383-7075 Amarillo. Have been working Stratford for 28 years. Have City and State License for the City of Stratford. 4-24-tfn

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Effective March 10, 1990

VETERANS-needing assistance in applying for pensions, schooling, burial benefits and other VA benefits. Call Max Stephenson, CSO at 396-5348. 4-26-p

GET READY FOR SPRING! Taking orders for outdoor concrete patio decor. Wholesale prices-delivered to Stratford in March. Call Carolyn 5810 or Dana 2462 for catalog and prices. Taking orders through March 14. 3-8-c

Come in and see our new Spring and Summer Kid's clothes. New arrivals daily, sizes infant through 6 at Ellies. 3-8c

Watch for Debbie and Tana's Annual Plant Sale late in April. Bigger and Better this year. We will have whiskey barrels and terra cotta containers. 3-29c

★ MISC ★

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Come by for a free Halon fire extinguisher demonstration. I've also got smoke detectors for your home. Call or come by Bill Riffe 396-5541. 3-1TFN

For the lowest fares available anywhere, Call Joan at 396-5958 or Pat 396-2243. Let us make your travel plans at no cost to you. 3-8TFN

Ladies come in and take a look at our new Spring dresses. We also have other new Spring arrivals in time for Easter, April 15th. Girl's Next Door. 3-8-c

Jean Lyles Oil Painting Workshop, March 16 and 17. Pottery - March 16, Windmills - March 17. T&O Tinker Shop, Texhoma, Oklahoma. 3-8c

Will trim or remove trees, haul trash and do yardwork. J.D. Smith 402 S. Maple 396-2572. 3-15p

★ FOR RENT ★

For Rent: Large unfurnished 2 B.R. house, washer and dryer hook-ups, carpet. 419 N. Pearl H.U.D. APP--small unfurnished bedroom house 119 S. Pearl Call: James Lowe, 396-5913. 3-8-c

Apartments for Rent: Furnished 1 bedroom apartment All bills paid Contact Mike O'Brien 396-2261 or 396-5656. 12-14-tfn

Apartment for Rent: Call 396-2102. 12-21-tfn

For Rent or Sale 3 Bedroom large home. Call 396-2542. 1-11TFN

For Rent: unfurnished 2 bedroom apartment with washer and dryer hookups. Call 396-2374 after 5 p.m. 1-18-tfn

For Rent: Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, house with double garage with openers. Be available March 1. Call 727-4263. 2-1TFN

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JOB OPENING BID BASIS

First Baptist Church has a job opening that will be filled through the bid method. The job available is for lawn, yard, and parking area care, and is for the entire year. Pay based on the accepted bid is paid in 12 equal monthly payments per year. Job description and bid forms are available at the office of First Baptist Church. All bids to be considered must be in the church office no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, March 12, 1990. First Baptist Church reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 3-8-c

Sherman County Public Library has a job opening that will be filled by the bid method. The job available is for lawn, all yard area, and parking area care, and is for the entire year. Pay based on the accepted bid is paid in 12 equal monthly payments per year. Job description and bids forms are available at the office of the Sherman County Library. All bids to be considered must be in the Library office no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, March 26, 1990. The Library board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 3-15c

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